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9 inches	6.75	11.25	15.75	20.25	24.75	29.25	33.75	38.25	42.75	47.25	51.75	56.25
10 inches	7.50	12.50	17.50	22.50	27.50	32.50	37.50	42.50	47.50	52.50	57.50	62.50
11 inches	8.25	13.75	19.25	24.75	29.75	34.75	39.75	44.75	49.75	54.75	59.75	64.75
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Friday, August 17, 1900.

DEMOCRATIC TICKET, 1900.

FOR PRESIDENT:
WILLIAM J. BRYAN,
OF KANSAS.

FOR VICE-PRESIDENT:
ADLAI E. STEVENSON,
OF ILLINOIS.

FOR CONGRESS, FIRST DISTRICT:
W. A. JONES,
OF RICHMOND COUNTY.

CONVENTION CANDIDATES.

In another column we publish communications on the subject of a Constitutional Convention from two prominent citizens of the Northern Neck. In respect to Dr. Beale as a member of that body the CITIZEN endorses the views of its correspondent to the letter. The Doctor is an able and fearless man, one who has been tried in many capacities and never yet found wanting. He is the type of man that the Convention should be largely composed of—that is, if the best interests of the State are to be subserved. A few able lawyers, men of integrity and honor, should undoubtedly find place in the Convention; it could not well get along without them; but it is feared by the newspapers throughout the State and by the zealous patrons of the measure that too many of the legal fraternity will get into the Convention. The grounds upon which this fear is based is that lawyers as a rule, and particularly the young ones, are very active in politics and they are going to push their claims—or, rather, desires—to the point of winning. Should this class control the Convention it has been well said that we had better remain where we are in the matter of a Constitution.

As to the second letter, that of "Domi," a Richmond countymen: we fully endorse his prerogatives, as laid down, but must demur to his summary. The Editor of the CITIZEN does not fail to appreciate the high esteem of his correspondent, but does candidly feel undeciding; and so for the several weeks that the communication has been in our hands we have endeavored to induce the writer to consent to its withdrawal, but to no avail. As stated to him, we now say publicly, that Mr. Lee has no idea or inclination to become a candidate as a member of the Constitutional Convention. There are others better adapted to the work, and many whose business interests would not conflict with services in the Convention. In addition, we say of this as of other things, he doesn't stand in with the ring leaders of this district, and even if he desired it they would oppose him. We think these reasons sufficient to deter any from advocating him, and losing no time, the good and true men of this section can get to work to centre upon good men whom the selfish politicians will hardly dare oppose, and, if opposed, whom they cannot defeat.

ON OUR first and fourth pages this issue will be found in full the speech of W. J. Bryan at Indianapolis last week, upon the occasion of his official notification as the Democratic nominee for President. Immediately upon reading this wonderful campaign document it struck us that every reader of the CITIZEN would enjoy it, no matter what his politics, and we have gone to considerable trouble to reproduce it verbatim. It is safe to say that this paper has never had its equal in the political world. It is the strongest speech ever delivered by that wonderful man. The Republican and Independent press throughout the country has sifted it thoroughly and where fault is found by partisans there its strength lies. The Independent papers almost unanimously laud it, many of the Republican papers doing likewise, while those that condemn it display in their eagerness a fear that is very apparent.

This country is striking out in a new role. For the first time in her history she has accommodated another country with a war loan. Over one-half of the \$50,000,000 borrowed last week by England was subscribed in the United States at three per cent.

STILL MOVING FORWARD.

Westmoreland is making a record on her innovations, particularly upon her new dog law. Over a thousand dollars will be paid into the county treasury from this source.

The sign-boards which were recently put up on all the roads in Northumberland are the source of much favorable comment. The many strangers at Marvin and Kirkland camps were profuse in their praise of the enterprise.

As we have often said, "Let the good work go on," and let other counties follow these examples.

IT'S A PITY.

The intrepid Teddy has very evidently lost his mental equilibrium on the question of Democratic galleon—Fredericksburg Free Lance.

If Teddy Roosevelt had been old enough to have followed Gen. Banks up and down the Valley of Virginia in 1862 he would not only have lost his "equilibrium," but he would also have lost his breath running from the boys he now calls cowardly Democrats.—Salem Times-Register.

Just so. To come under the shadow of "Stonewall" Jackson's last resting place, even at this late date, would make Teddy's legs quiver and his teeth clatter.

It is becoming very apparent now that a greater number of troops are being carried out of the plans of the allies and the president of this country is getting into an embarrassing position. With the tens of thousands of American troops in the Philippines, a week's journey from the Chinese scene of trouble, there should be no delay in getting a few more regiments on the scene. It is up to Mr. President now to show his faith in the statement that the war is over in Luzon by using the army where it is most needed.

EX-UNITED STATES MINISTER TO Siam, Barrett, advocates the McKinley policy of maintaining permanently the open doors in China. Mr. Barrett would have imperialism to make its onward march and America become the Don Quixote of the world's nations. Just why the open door policy should be maintained in China more than any other country Mr. Barrett shrewdly neglects to explain.

No doubt McKinley is more anxious about the White House than he is in regard to Peking.

OUR WASHINGTON LETTER.

(From Our Regular Correspondent.)

WASHINGTON, August 13, 1900. Messia dicker with China independently. The landing troops at Shanghai, where there had been no serious trouble; Germany's ruminating the Commander-in-Chief of the foreign troops in China, and the government of China trying to trick the foreign ministers at Peking, including the American Minister, into going out of Peking to be killed by Chinese soldiers. There are a few of the important items of news which have come to Washington during the last few days, and have had to be handled by the subordinates in charge during the continued absence of Mr. McKinley and Secretary Hay. One message was sent to Minister Conger that was made public, and one that was not. The first left him free to act in discretion, which leaves the administration free to make an official scrapoogal of him if he should be so unfortunate as to make a mistake. That is also the sort of order that General Chaffee, who is in command of the handful of Americans who are with the so-called allied army, which has fought its way about one-fourth of the distance between Tien Tsin and Peking, is acting under. They are so convenient you know. If everything goes right, they can be claimed as implying the perfect confidence felt by this government, etc.; which if anything goes wrong it can be charged to lack of judgment or brains on the part of the agent.

Every disinterested man who goes into any portion of the Middle West reports the existence of conditions which are calculated to increase the confidence of Democrats in the election of Bryan and Stevenson. Mr. J. H. Lalston, a well-known Washington lawyer, has just returned from a visit to Quincy, Ill., his old home. Speaking of his trip he said: "I did not go West to observe political conditions, but in the course of my journey I had numerous opportunities to learn how things were going. At Quincy I had many intimate friends, and I talked politics with a large number of them without indicating which side I was disposed to favor. The character of my information was very favorable to the Democrats."

Mr. J. T. Bailey, who is a drummer with headquarters at Little Rock, Ark., is visiting Washington friends. He said of the political attitude of the drummers: "The drummers realize that their only hope is in the election of the Democratic ticket. The Democrats are pledged to enact legislation to correct the evils of the trusts, and unless something is done to correct the evils of the trusts it will be but a very little while before the drummer will find his occupation gone. The drummers see the drift of the Republican party, which is controlled by the trusts, and therefore it is to our interests to do all we can to insure the election of Bryan and Stevenson. I have failed to meet any man who believes in changing the Republic into an Empire, as the Republicans seem bent on doing. I have recently met a number of gold Democrats who supported McKinley in 1896, and they told me they were for Bryan and would work day and night to secure his election, because he represents the people in this fight against imperialism. It is my opinion, based on what I know of the situation, that Mr. Bryan will sweep the country as Mr. Cleveland did in 1892."

CONSTITUTIONAL CONVENTION.

EDITOR CITIZEN:—Please allow me space in your paper to call the attention of the public to a matter that is likely to be overshadowed by the presidential campaign, and without intending to distract from the importance of the national issue now pending, I wish to bring before you readers a matter that is fraught with very vital interest for the people of Virginia, than anything that has depended upon their decision for the past thirty years—the selection of candidates for the constitutional convention. The work of the convention will be lasting and will have to endure the good or evil effect of it for the next 30 or 40 years, and the greatest care should be observed in selecting suitable men for the convention. The adaptability of a man and not his advisability should be the watch word. The people have too much at stake in this matter to vote for a man simply because a coterie of politicians may declare that he must be rewarded, and who has nothing perhaps to recommend him to the public for this position save that he has been a party worker and has acquired a smattering of law.

The people should select for this district a man pure, cultured, liberal and progressive in his views, firm in his convictions, knowing the wants of the people as well as the needs of the state, neither too old nor too young, with the ability and courage to defend his views upon the floor of the convention. These qualities can be found in Rev. G. W. Beale, D. D., whom the humbleness as well as the highest would have the utmost confidence, knowing that whatever he did was intended for the good of the State. Will Dr. Beale accept? Years ago Dr. Beale responded to the call of his state, and his services are needed more in this crisis than at that time, and while it is known that Dr. Beale would never seek the place, he could hardly refuse to accept the manifest duty of a good citizen that would be thrust upon him; neither would his churches which he serves so well be likely to raise the slightest objection for they are as patriotic than their sister churches of Lancaster who gave up their pastor, Rev. Addison Hall, to the state for a short time for a similar duty years ago. To those who know Dr. Beale, and nearly everybody does know him, it is unnecessary to add that this article was simply because this writer believes he is preeminently the right man for the position. NORTHUMBERLAND.

EDITOR VIRGINIA CITIZEN: As we are to have a constitutional convention sometime before long, it is high time that we were looking around for a suitable man to stand as a delegate to that convention. We do not doubt that a great many of our citizens would like to be sent, some possibly for selfish motives, others for the public good, etc. In our humble judgment we ought to send a man: 1st, who is broad-minded and has a common sense; 2nd, one who has the courage of his convictions; 3rd, one who believes Jefferson's immortal words that "all men are created equal"; 4th, one who doesn't sit down and wait for something to turn up, but is continually turning something up, something that benefits the people; 5th, one who is not content with the old in the old, but one whose watchword is progress; 6th, one whose record is clean; 7th, one who is able mentally and oratorically to combat with the adversary; 8th, one who will represent well all classes of our people. We know of no one who comes nearer to the above qualifications than W. McDonald Lee, Editor of the VIRGINIA CITIZEN, a gentleman who was the first in this section to publicly espouse the cause of a new constitution—in short an "original Convention" man. DOMI.

THE CRISIS IN CHINA.

Field-Marshal Count von Waldersee, of Germany, has been appointed commander-in-chief of the allied troops in China. He will start for China in a fortnight. Continued investigations at Canton show the Chinese are mounting larger guns, old galleons are being overhauled, and mines have been made ready to lay in West river. A steamer from Wu Chou reports passing considerable number of Chinese troops going up the West river, probably bound for Peking. News of a serious character regarding the situation of the foreigners at Peking came to the State Department Wednesday in a cipher dispatch from Mr. Conger. The Government official declined to make the dispatch public, and the reason may possibly be found in Mr. Conger's statement that the Chinese Government was trying to force him to leave Peking. This reflection on the good faith of the Imperial authorities brought to the officials the grave fear that after all the efforts of the powers, the allies might arrive at the Chinese Capital too late to save the diplomatic representatives and those in their care from massacre at the hands of their fanatical enemies. Twenty Miles From Peking. Peking is now believed to be within striking distance of the allied army, which is thought to have advanced to a point not more than 20 miles distant from the city. The allies are regarded as probable that the forces are now hammering at the gates of the city and that relief may be afforded the Ministers any day.

BATTLE IN CHESAPEAKE BAY.

Sydney Evans, of Smiths Island, Md., was shot Saturday by Police captain, Geo. Savage, of the Pocomoke, while resisting arrest for crabbing in Virginia waters. A large crowd attended the funeral Sunday and many threats were made against the Tangier people, the latter island being in Virginia. The islands are close together, but there is no longer any intercourse between them, not only Sunday but a Tangier resident attended the big camp-meeting on Smith's Island, though the people of the two islands are closely intermarried. After the shooting of Evans a hot engagement took place between the Tangier and Smith Island crabbers, with the result that half a dozen were wounded on both sides.

Kruger says he is ready to surrender if England will give him satisfactory assurances of what she is going to do with him.

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NEWS ITEMS.

"Topeka Joe," the Williamsburg safe burglar, was taken to Richmond last week for safe keeping.

A bolt of lightning out of a clear sky killed a farm hand in Hanover county last week and rendered W. H. White, a prosperous farmer, unconscious for several hours.

Testimony in the trial of Former Secretary of State, Cleveland Powers, charged with the shooting of Governor Gesel, was concluded at noon Monday.

The Standard Oil Company has declared a dividend of \$8 per share, payable September 15th. In June, 10 per cent was distributed, and in March, 20 per cent.

Troubles in the Philippines are getting worse and worse. It now comes to light that the American position is being constantly smuggled from this country and placed in the hands of the Filipinos.

The thirty-fourth annual convention of the Disciples of Christ of the Tidewater District, which included all those counties east of Richmond, began Tuesday at the Kappa Alpha Christian Church, Dunnsville, Va.

C. P. Huntington, president of the Southern Pacific railway, died at his camp, Pine Knot, in the Adirondacks, at about midnight Monday. Heart-disease was the direct cause of death. The deceased was the last of the great railroad kings and leaves a fortune of about \$75,000,000.

Rachael Chambers and John White, colored, who reside in Roanoke, had a quarrel Sunday. After the war of words the woman drew a .38 caliber bullock revolver and shot at White. The bullet struck him in the middle of the forehead, flattened out, and traveled around to the back of his head, where it was cut out.

The records of the courts in Baltimore show that five quite fair amounts of various promissory notes given by the Rev. Dr. Henry M. Wharton have been entered at various times. There is no disposition on the part of the creditors to press their claims. The general sentiment among the clergyman from intentional wrong-doing. He is expected on the ground that he attempted too many enterprises.

The United States coast survey steamer Blake, which was wrecked near Norfolk last week. She is now being towed to the mouth of the Chesapeake by the tugboat "Cape Hatteras," which is to find the best available anchorage for the Diamond Shoals lightship, which guards the most dangerous point on the Atlantic coast. The soundings will have to be done by men in small boats, and their work will be perilous, for the sea is always wild along these shoals.

Attorneys representing the estate of Joseph Welton, the merchant for whose murder Walter Cotton was hanged at Emporia after having escaped from the Portsmouth jail, have notified the municipality of their intention of suing it. They will contend that Cotton's escape was directly due to the negligence of the city's agents, and that had Cotton not escaped he could not have committed the murder.

A letter from King George county says: "The farmers here are not at all pleased with the particular kind of McKinley 'prosperity' which is said to be 'springing' over the county. They are paying higher prices for everything they buy, and are confronted on every hand by 'revenue stamps' and the like, while they are compelled to sell the products of their labor at 'starvation prices.' They complain that potatoes and other farm products this season are sold at a loss to the producer of production and shipping to market, and that, therefore, the farmer is at a greater disadvantage now than ever before. The slight advance in the price of corn is by no means in proportion to the high price of nearly every article the farmer has to buy."

A BEAUTIFUL WEDDING.

A quiet and very pretty wedding took place Thursday, July 27, 8:30 p. m., at the residence of Mrs. J. M. Sykes, 218 E. Washington St., Greensboro, N. C., when Miss Susie Davis, daughter of A. W. Davis, of Lancaster county, became the bride of Mr. Jas. K. Amos, of Reidsville, N. C.

Mendell's march was sweetly rendered by Miss Celestia Hunter, while the Rev. J. Livingston Johnson, of the first Baptist church, officiated.

First came Miss Mattie Amos, sister of the groom, in white organdy, with ribbon and gloves in hand, leaning on the arm of Mr. Dillon Smith, then the bride and groom.

The bride was attired in white French mercerized lawn trimmed in accordance with the latest fashion, and a white skeleton bow of ribbon in her hair. The parlors were artistically decorated in ivy and evergreens. The ceremony was performed in the recess of a large bay window. After the many congratulations they left on the 9:35 North bound train for Reidsville, where a quiet reception was given at the groom's parental home on the 27th.

The bride had been employed as milliner, at "The Bee Hive," on Elm St., in the "City of Flowers," and had won quite a number of friends, there being present between forty and fifty at the marriage. The bride travelled in brown cloth with hat and gloves to correspond, and made her appearance in old rose silk lamé gown, with white silk and applique, with hat and gloves of white. They will reside on Scales St., Reidsville, N. C. A. FRIEND.

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POLITICAL.

Towne has withdrawn as vice-presidential candidate with Bryan from the Populist ticket and will support Bryan and Stevenson.

The Gold Democratic party is presently in the position of a poor boy at a frolic. It has to go off and dance by itself. The only prospect for a partnership it has had was from the anti-imperialists, who are equally lonesome, and that has been rejected.—Richmond News.

Record of the McKinley Administration:—Plutocracy, corruption, money power, Dingley Bill, benevolent assimilation, camp horrors, imperialism, pension war, taxes, trusts, combined bank, dry rot, imperialism, Porto Rico job, money trusts, standard oil trust, Cuban postal steals.

The white people of Virginia are not unfriendly to the negroes. The desire to exclude illiterates from the polls is not prompted by unkindness. It is due to the conviction that our politics will be purer and our government more wisely administered when this dangerous and irresponsible element is eliminated.—Lynchburg News.

In an interview Republican Senator Wellington, of Maryland, said that he would support Mr. Bryan, and that he would be a candidate for reelection to the Senate. He said: "I am unalterably opposed to the reelection of President McKinley. Bryan is a better man in every way than McKinley, and I regard his election as essential to the preservation of the republic."

It is said that the National Republican Congressional committee will concentrate their efforts in Virginia toward the carrying of three Congressional districts—the Second, Ninth and Tenth. No money will be sent into Virginia for work elsewhere. The question of raising campaign funds is being discussed by the party leaders. They haven't much money, while the Republicans expect to get all they need for use in doubtful States.

Hon. M. C. C. Church, of West Virginia, who was one of the founders of the Republican party who established and edited for many years the State Journal and then presented it to the Republican party, who has been one of the most liberal contributors to the campaign funds of his party, a life-long Republican, has announced in an open letter that he will support Mr. Bryan and the Democratic ticket this year.

Theodore Roosevelt will meet William J. Bryan in what will be virtually a joint debate in Chicago on Labor Day, September 3. The labor organizations have invited Governor Roosevelt to attend their picnic there on that day, and it is said he has accepted. Mr. Bryan has also accepted the labor union's request to speak at their annual gathering on Labor Day. While the picnic will be non-partisan, the labor people will expect to hear the political issues of the day discussed.

The first day's session of the National Third Ticket party convention held in session in Indianapolis, Ind., was devoted to addresses, no formal action being taken. The sentiment among the "Independents" strong against the candidacy of both McKinley and Bryan, and seemed to indicate that a third ticket would be the outcome of the convention, although there is also a desire to combine with the Anti-Imperialists. Later reports are to the effect that on the second day Bryan's name was loudly cheered.

REPUBLICAN DISTRICT CONVENTION. The Republicans of the First Congressional District will meet at Tappanhook September 4th, to nominate a candidate for Congress and elect a District Committee and Chairman. Basis of representation will be to delegate to every 200 votes cast for McKinley in 1896.

The McKinley vote of the counties was as follows: Accomac, 1,675; Caroline, 1,502; Essex, 669; Gloucester, 549; King & Queen, 655; Lancaster, 599; Matthews, 444; Middlesex, 680; Northampton, 802; Northumberland, 904; Richmond, 667; Stafford, 603; Westmoreland, 827; Fredericksburg, 388.

MARVIN GROVE CLOSURES.

There is an end to all things and this proved no exception in the case of Marvin Grove, although both young and old wished it could have been otherwise. On last Sunday evening the tenters began moving out and soon the grounds were left desolate and bare.

The encampment this year was a grand success, many souls being brought to Christ, and it is gratifying to know that enough was taken up in the two collections and by private subscription to fully meet the expenses of the camp.

The attendance was good throughout the entire week. Several tents were bought this year and a good number, who have not heretofore been tenters, have made arrangements for another year. The singing under the direction of T. A. Jett was most excellent. Rev. J. H. Amis can indeed feel proud of the grand success of this meeting.

All of the ministers have returned to their homes, save Rev. H. M. Hope, who is now conducting a meeting in Essex county, after which he will return to Lancaster, where he is to assist in several revivals.

"The wealth of John D. Rockefeller," the head of the Standard Oil Company, is growing at the average mind. He is being submerged in a downpour of riches. He could not dodge the steady, persisted influx of wealth if he wished. Every instant the clock ticks of a second, day and night, Sundays and holidays, he gets more money than the average man earns in a week. Yet he lives mainly on crackers and milk. He is a dyspeptic. He has to injure his viands and to content himself with food plainer, or at least simpler, than that with which the day laborer regales himself. Isn't there a lesson in this for some of us, who have to work hard for a living, and are disposed to grumble at the lot in life which has not brought us wealth?—Richmond Dispatch.

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MONTROSS.

A very good meeting was held at Montross Baptist church last week. There were six additions to the church. Rev. Filmore Sanford did the preaching and secured at his best. Bro. Sanford is a good revivalist and has a great many addresses in this, his native county. He left for his home in Accomac county last Friday.

The drought is still unbroken here. Crops of all kinds are drying up very fast, and some pastures are as free from grass as any place in March. Chandler's grist mill has not done any work for five weeks owing to a scarcity of water. A great many of our people are out of meal and flour and can't get any ground at the mills. Some talk of driving to Fredericksburg and getting their wheat ground. Corn is almost an entire failure.

Several city visitors are enjoying the generous hospitality of A. M. Chaudler this week.

Willie H. Hall, of Baltimore, is visiting his parental home near here this week.

Philip K. Harvey has secured a situation in Washington with Robt. Murphy.

George Chandler has returned from a very pleasant visit to friends and relatives in Washington.

The new courthouse is nearing completion and will be ready for use next month.

NOMINEE GROVE.

Several persons from this place attended the Marvin Grove Camp the past week.

Messrs. Sanford are having a brick kiln built on their farm near here. George Churchill, an experienced mason, is supervising the work. Numbers of our city cousins are visiting in our midst. Among them are Mr. and Mrs. Boxwell, Colton Sisson and family, Herbert Sisson, Hardin Edwards and Mrs. George Edwards, all of Washington.

Wade Winstead and Miss Mollie Smith, of Baltimore, and Miss Gertrude Garner, of Village, are visiting Miss Derby Wallace at Warsaw.

Rev. Walter Griggs has returned to his home in Maryland after a pleasant visit to his relatives near here.

H. T. Smith, of Oldham, was visiting his sister, Mrs. T. W. Clark, of Northumberland county, last week. Miss Inez Reynolds, of Kinsale, was visiting in our midst the past week.

Our sympathy is extended Mr. and Mrs. F. U. Northup in the death of their daughter, Miss Sophia.

Protracted services were conducted at Cobham Park church the past week, the pastor, Rev. George M. Connelley, being ably assisted by Rev. J. T. McNeal. The church was greatly benefited and several added to the church as a result.

Messrs. Marvin Omohundro, of Lillian, and Edwin Omohundro, of Baltimore, were recent visitors of the former's brother, W. R. Omohundro, at Lyella.

R. D. C.

THIN HAIR. Lots of people have thin hair. Perhaps their parents had thin hair; perhaps their children have thin hair. But this does not make it necessary for them to have thin hair.

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